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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE STORAGE DEVICE DATA TRANSFER RATE For:

Enclosed are also:

$\underline{\mathbf{X}}$	19	Pages of Specification including an Abstract
$\underline{\mathbf{X}}$	5	Pages of Claims (1 - 29 Claims)
$\underline{\mathbf{X}}$	3	Sheet(s) of Drawings
$\underline{\mathbf{X}}$		A-Declaration and Power of Attorney
$\underline{\mathbf{X}}$		Form-PTO 1595-and-Assignment-of-the-invention-to-Storage-Technology Corporation
$\underline{\mathbf{X}}$		Information Disclosure Statement
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CLAIMS AS FILED

FOR	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate		Basic Fee (\$740)
Total Claims	29	-20 =	9	X	\$ 18	=	\$162.00
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